## **Desert Tortoise Preserve Committee, Inc.**

Comments submitted by the Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation (OHMVR) Division to individual grant applicants should in no way be construed as a guarantee of successful results for the applicant within the competitive grants process or a commitment of funding. Additionally, the lack of comments by the OHMVR Division to any specific applicant does not ensure successful results for the applicant within the competitive grant process or a commitment of funding.

All final applications will be reviewed by the OHMVR Division. The OHMVR Division may, at its sole discretion, decrease the requested amount and eliminate activities pursuant with regulation Section 4970.07.2 (f)(1-5) and for law enforcement projects, regulation Section 4970.15.3(b)(1-5).

Failure by applicant to respond to any OHMVR Division comment of their preliminary application shall be cause for eliminating that item from the applicant's application.

If multiple proposed projects are requesting funding for the same deliverable, and multiple projects are successful, only one project will receive funding for the deliverable.

For proposed projects requesting grant funding for snow and/or winter activities. Applicants must ensure the activities and/or equipment requested are not and/or cannot be funded by the OHMVR Division Winter Program (commonly referred to as the Snow Grooming Program).

For proposed projects requesting grant funding for the maintenance of roads and/or trails, note that only roads and/or trails that allow "green sticker" off-highway vehicles are allowed to receive grant funding.

Applicants are reminded that no grant funds and/or match can be expended or project activities conducted in any land owned or managed by the California Department of Parks and Recreation.

# General Evaluation Criteria

 #11a – It is unclear if the kiosks onsite contain information concerning safe and responsible OHV Recreation.

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### **Project Description**

No comment.

# **Project Cost Estimate**

• Contracts- "Fence and gate installation", Applicant must include an explanation detailing how the match cost was derived from total contract expense.

• Equipment Use Expenses- "Use of DTPC & volunteer vehicles" project transportation cost for moving personnel is only eligible from the base of operations to the project area. Additional details are needed to justify expense.

# **Evaluation Criteria**

- #6 The narrative does not support "Applicant's or Land Manager's operational budget". The narrative supports "Combination of OHV Trust Funds and operational budget.
- #7 Narrative does not support the meeting with stakeholders. Telephone
  meetings are not eligible for points. Applicant must identify how the listed
  stakeholders are stakeholders to the project.